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In re the Application of

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For: ROTARY ELECTRIC MACHINE WITH STATOR ELASTIC SUPPORT
STRUCTURE

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Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
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Sir:

In reply to the July 26, 2002 Office Action, please amend the above-identified
application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claim 2 without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter
contained therein.

Please replace claim 1 as follows:

1. (Amended) A rotary electric machine, comprising:
- a frame having an air opening through which air flows;
 - a stator core disposed to be supported in the frame, the stator core having a plurality of slots;
 - a stator winding including a plurality of conductor segments each of which is formed into an approximate U-shape having a pair of leg parts, the stator winding being